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**THESE "ABANDONED FARMS."**

These abandoned farms in northern New Hampshire of which we have heard so much, are being once more occupied and cultivated for all they are worth. Old Home week, thanks to ex-Governor Hullins, has brought back many a wandering son to these too long neglected lands. Since it has been learned through experience, that best of schoolmasters, that it isn't every college graduate who outstrips in the race of life, the boy who was left at home to work the farm, and to be a support and help to the father and mother in their declining years, there has been a turning of the steps backward to the old home. Within the past five years there has been many a farm in the Granite state taken up again, and the good work still goes on. We know something about these abandoned farms, for it has been our good fortune to reside upon one for the past two summers. A near friend of ours purchased two years ago the place which he has christened Kinderheim. The farm, which contains somewhere near a hundred acres of land, had been exhausted by taking all that it was possible to get from it, while giving it nothing in return. The buildings were old and fast going to wreck and ruin at the time of purchase. But no sooner had he the deed of his newly bought property, than he went to work with a will to put things into shape; so that now after so short a time, he and his family have one of the most convenient and comfortable homes in northern New Hampshire. The house has been substantially rebuilt. There is a large ice house well filled from a pond of his own excavation; a bath and wash house, which he has had erected. His barn made over anew is a model of convenience, while his sap-house is a necessary and ornamental annex to his beautiful maple grove. This resuscitated farm has now a garden with all the vegetable growths, and an acre of potatoes which promise full harvest. The hay crop this year will be more than an average one. Michael, the farm hand, says that it is "fine" to work in the garden and among the potatoe, with the mountains all about him while the birds are singing from every bush and tree. We write this much of our friends' whole life on an abandoned New Hampshire farm, to show more clearly what is being done throughout New England in recovering lands long gone to waste. The owner himself is here but a small portion of his time, as his business life keeps him in the city. But he is being paid a thousand times over for his more or less frequent visits to his country home, and from the fact that his family have a little earthly paradise of their own for the summer months. The tilling of the ground is the natural condition of things. There is an intimate relationship between the man, "earthly," and the earth, so it is especially fitting that man should handle the hoe and swing the scythe. It will be most fortunate for both city and country when the metropolis shall rid herself of her excessive numbers by giving to the soil the manual labor which is its due. Why will men and women persist in herding, when they may go into the country and establish little kingdoms of their own?

There are still New Hampshire farms, inviting those of the city to come and occupy them.

**IT CANNOT BE SAID.**

It cannot be rightfully said of congress in its last session, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant." A long list of wicked failures must now be written down by the American people against the last session of our national legislature. It has hardly accomplished anything that it promised to do. This must be the verdict of all those who are not slaves to party lines. The recommendations of President Roosevelt have been substantially ignored. No action was taken in relation to trusts. The shipping bill had no show. Cuban reciprocity was treated with the utmost injustice, and

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**

**Board of Survey.**  
A petition has been received from Wm. Millett for the approval of plans as to the contemplated laying out or locating and constructing the streets or ways in the town of Arlington, designated at Summer street, Lansdowne road, Rockland avenue and Millett street.

Under the provisions of chapter 249 of the Acts of 1897, a hearing will be given on said petition in the selectmen's room, Monday, July 14, 1902, at 8 o'clock p.m.

E. S. FARMER,  
GEO. I. DOE,  
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Board of Survey.

Arlington, Mass., July 2, 1902.

so on largely to the end of the chapter. Why should not our public servants be held to a strict accountability for their non-performance of duty? It is refreshing that now and then a man is to be found in congress who has the courage and the honesty, in spite of all party affiliations, manfully to face a duty and then without an apology, perform it. Representative McCall of Winchester is such a man, and so is Senator Hoar of Worcester. It is with especial pleasure that The Enterprise recognizes in its near neighbor, Representative McCall, a man of unusual ability, and of that consummate honesty that cannot be lessened, either by threat or promise. Mr. McCall's whole course in congress in relation to Cuba and the Philippines has been in keeping with the soundest and best statesmanship. It doesn't matter what disgruntled ones of his party may say, the people will give him the scriptural, "Well done." Fortunate would it be if our country had more men like Representative McCall and Senator Hoar. That there is a day of reckoning coming no reasonable man can well doubt. The American government stands for justice, and the American people will see that justice is finally done, "though the heavens fall."

**ARLINGTON LOCALS.**

E. C. Woods, with a score of 37, won the medal play of 27 holes, 9 best to count, on the links of the Arlington golf club last week Friday afternoon. Other scores were: H. B. Hood 38, J. H. Hardy 43, G. M. Brooks 43.

Saturday was the last day of the cup match on the Arlington golf links, and R. Dunbar won the cup with a total of 15 points. The score:

Gross.	H'dp.	Net	
G. O. Russell .....	99	15	84
C. A. Hardy .....	113	16	97
R. Dunbar .....	101	13	88
G. M. Brooks .....	99	10	89

By Saturday's play Russeil scored three points, Hardy two and Dunbar one, the latter thus winning the point he needed to win the cup. Hardy and Brooks secured 13 points each, and Russeil 10.

The first individual championship tournament of the Greater Boston interscholastic golf association was held on the course of the Brae-Burn golf club, Newton, beginning Tuesday morning and concluding Thursday afternoon.

G. H. Gray, Arlington high; J. C. Gray, Arlington high; R. Dunbar, Arlington high; R. Grover, Arlington high; F. Buhler, Arlington high; N. L. Cushman, Arlington high, were entered. Cushman was on the tournament committee.

Henry D. Kidder of Addison street won first place in the quarter-mile race on Boston common the Fourth. At West Somerville in the afternoon he took third place in the quarter-mile and first in the running broad jump, at the Broadway recreation grounds. Saturday's Herald had an excellent picture of him with a sketch of his athletic career.

Many Arlington people will take in the annual lawn party given in aid of the Holy Ghost hospital for incurables this afternoon and evening on the hospital grounds. In the afternoon there will be special features for children, and dancing and music in the evening. Miss Julia O'Brien has charge of the Arlington branch table.

The game between the Eurekas and the South Bostons failed to come off.

The Boat club fireworks the Fourth were supplied by the Arlington News agency.

Messrs. Thompson and Young sent up some excellent fireworks the night of the Fourth.

Thursday night of last week a good-sized crowd in front of the postoffice building raised sums of money by subscription and "blew them in" in various sorts of appropriate noises. Everybody had a good time.

Two watchmen were detailed to guard the old high school building on Academy street the night before the Fourth.

The mail box at the corner of Massachusetts avenue and Pleasant street was blown up by a cannon firecracker last week Thursday night as one of the patriotic "stunts" of the "night before." How little Uncle Sam appreciated the outburst of patriotism was evidenced by his sending on inspectors and officers for an investigation. Butasmuch as it was plainly apparent that the act was one of heedlessness and not of criminal intent, the master was not pushed.

The fires of the "night before" were four in number: From box 162 at 1:45 a.m., a small shed on the Wyman estate; at 3:15 there was a small fire in a hen-house on the Henderson estate, Teal street, damage about \$20; from box 41, at 2:10, a barn belonging to Tim-

othy Hurley, 894 Massachusetts avenue, loss about \$500, insurance \$300; and from box 15, at 3:58, the washhouse of John P. Squires, loss \$200. These fires are all credited to an incendiary origin.

A bad break in the water pipe on Massachusetts avenue between Marston and Teal streets occurred the Fourth.

Monday was a day of disasters. In the afternoon, as Miss Katherine Needham, and Miss Rosenberg of Cambridge were driving down Massachusetts avenue in an open run-about the forward axle broke. This happened just above Bartlett avenue. One of the forward wheels also came off, and the accident set the horse off on the run. At Acadamy st. the young ladies were thrown out, Miss Needham receiving several cuts about the head and face and Miss Rosenberg escaping with some bruises. They were taken into Mrs. G. A. Law's, where Miss Needham's injuries were attended to. A few stitches were necessary. The horse ran all the way to North Cambridge before being stopped.

The second of a series of weekly band concerts was held Thursday evening. Music by the Cambridge City band.

A. A. Mason and F. Otis Drayton Jr., leave Monday, for a two weeks outing at Camp Buena Vista, Lake Winnipesaukee, N. H.

Frank Edgar leaves today for camp with 8th Regt., M. V. M.

A number of Waverly boys have been camping a few days this week along the banks of the Sudbury river.

Through an inability of securing the right to use Plaisted's Field and the failure of one of the competing teams of the June 17th contest to meet their share of the arrangement the athletic events for July 4th were indefinitely postponed.

H. D. Wiggin of J. Abbott Clark's real estate office is at present enjoying a vacation among the hills of New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tyner were on board the Cumberland bound for Portland when she was rammed in Boston harbor Monday. Mrs. Tyner received injuries to her knee, and her sister, who was also present, was injured about the face. A horse and carriage belonging to Mr. Tyner were in the hold and the horse was drowned by the sinking of the boat.

Mr. Dyer has been displaying in the window of the news agency a check for \$10 from the Custis Publishing Co., as third prize in the June contest in the Ladies' Home Journal.

At the regular meeting of Court Fride of Arlington, Foresters of America, held last Monday evening, the following officers were installed by Deputy Grand Chief Ranger M. F. Kelly: D. M. Hoooley, chief ranger; P. J. McElroy, Sub. C. R.; D. W. Grannen, Jr., past C. R.; J. P. Daley, treasurer; Geo. C. Ahearn, financial secretary; P. J. Hussey, recording secretary; T. J. Donovan, S. W.; J. Van Emben, Jr. W.; H. J. Dehli, S. B.; George Mitchell, Jr. B.; Thomas J. Green, Richard J. Treleagan, J. F. Dacey, trustees. There was present a large number of members from Cambridge, Woburn, Malden, Somerville and Boston; also the grand chief ranger of the state of Massachusetts, Anthony J. Connolly of Boston. During the evening D. M. Hoooley, in behalf of the members of the court, presented to Wm. R. LeBlanc, the retiring financial secretary, a handsome emblem of the order, consisting of a gold watch charm. Refreshments were served, after which the guests left for home.

Miss Angie Dinemore, the stenographer in the office of A. M. T. Wood & Co.'s ice tool factory, leaves today for Yarmouth, N. S., where she will spend her three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. H. H. Kohlsaat and her daughter, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Nelson Blake, left for their Chicago home Monday.

A new clerk has recently been added to the staff of the local postoffice, making three in all, besides the superintendent and carriers. The new man is Carl Meyer of Medford.

Cashier Wm. D. Higgins of the National bank left Tuesday morning for his two weeks' vacation, which he is spending as usual at Kennebunkport, Me.

Louis A. Moore, son of George D. Moore of Broadway, is quite ill at his home with pneumonia.

Miss Nellie Lockhart, book-keeper for Pierce & Winn company, is enjoying a three weeks' vacation at Webster, N. H.

R. Walter Hilliard and family of Gray street left for their summer home on Island last Thursday.

Master Ernest Beers, son of James L. Beers of 426 Massachusetts avenue, and his cousins, Misses Eva and Ella Beers, sailed on the Olivette last Saturday for Chariottetown, Prince Edward Island, where they will remain till September 1st. The Misses Beers have spent some years in the capacity of trained nurse, the one in Providence, the other in Waverley.

Herbert H. Yeames left Monday for Bar Harbor, where he will remain several weeks.

A stray maltese cat wearing a collar has been staying at 18 Palmer street for about a week. The owner can have it by calling at the above number.

The family of Waterman A. Taft of Pleasant street left town for the summer months, which they will spend near Gloucester, Mass.

The Boston & Maine depot has been fixed up inside the past week, new paint and varnish in keeping with the exterior. With its well kept grounds it is quite attractive place.

The last regular meeting for the summer of W. R. C. No. 43 was held

Thursday afternoon in G. A. R. hall. Plans for a picnic soon to be held were discussed.

The installation of officers by the Odd Fellows came off last Wednesday night. The following were installed: W. H. Taft, noble grand; Elmer F. Sawyer, V. N. G.; C. H. Spaulding, conductor; William Peppard, warden; George Austin, inside guardian; E. S. Chapman, outside guardian; Edward Crosby, R. S. N. G.; J. T. Hay, L. S. N. G.; W. M. Stewart, R. S. V. N. G.; William Dinsmore, L. S. V. N. G.; Don Fletcher, S. S.; Alex Bowman, L. S. S.; William Gratto, chaplain. The installing officer was Alfred R. Hersham of Somerville. A collation was served.

Julius Hackel will go to Bethlehem, N. H., Monday, where he is to play in the Arlington hotel.

Post 36, G. A. R., held its regular meeting Thursday night in Grand Army hall.

A Chinese lawn sociable will be given next Monday night by Trinity Chapel chorus of the Arlington Line Bible school at the home of J. E. Fernald, 39 Clarendon avenue, North Cambridge. It will commence at 7:45. Refreshments will be on sale. Tickets 10 cents.

**A. B. C. Notes.**

Lloyd came in second in the novice single sculls on the Charles river last week Friday. The race had to be rowed a second time because of the fouling at the turn of Flanagan and Hayes, two other contestants, and the consequent protest by Hayes. Lloyd led all the way home in the first race, taking second place in the row-off.

The boat club met its first defeat of the season Saturday afternoon at the hands of the Wellington team. Dresser was in the box for the visitors and won his own game by his pitching and all-around play. The score:

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A. B. C. .....	1 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-6

The night before the Fourth was celebrated by many members at the club house. The Kentucky carnival orchestra played a varied program of lively music and there was plenty of fun going on.

The evening of the Fourth a large crowd of ticket-holders occupied seats on the piazzas, roofs and floats of the house to witness an excellent display of fireworks. These were set off from a float anchored some hundred feet from the shore. The banks of the pond were also crowded with people and every available boat and canoe was in use. Custer's orchestra gave a good program of popular music. After the fireworks the young folk danced until 12 in the hall of the club house. Delicious punch was served throughout the evening. The committee in charge comprised E. L. Rankin, E. C. Mansfield, C. H. Carter and E. Hespeltine.

The ball game with the A. A. A.'s on the Fourth went to the Boat club team by 15 to 7. Shean's pitching was the chief feature.

This afternoon's game will be with the Glenwoods of Cambridge.

**ARLINGTON HEIGHTS.**

The name of Ethel Ober, a member of the 6th grade of the Locke school, was omitted accidentally from the roll of honor last week. During the past three years she has been absent but a few days, because of sickness.

It was a delightful service which was held at Park avenue church Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, closing with the observance of the communion.

Next Sunday Rev. Thomas A. Emerson of Wakefield will preach at 10:45 a.m. Mr. Emerson is a friend of pastor, Mr. Taylor.

During July and August the Friday evening devotional meeting will be arranged for by the deacons.

Rev. John G. Taylor, in the absence of Rev. S. C. Bushnell, officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Catherine C. Gadis on Friday afternoon.

Alexander Beaton has secured the contract to build Mr. Freeman's new house on Paul Revere road. It is to be a double house and one of the best yet built at the Heights.

The young people of the Park avenue church have been invited by the Maynard society to go to the Navy Yard this afternoon, meeting at the entrance at 3 o'clock.

Miss Haskell is visiting her sister in Middleboro.

Miss Holmes of Eastport came yesterday to spend some days with Miss Simpson.

The Florodora sextette and pianist, who won so much applause at the vaudeville entertainment last winter, were given a Florodora tea at the home of the Misses Wiswell in Cambridge Wednesday. The sextette was composed of Miss Devereaux and Miss Mabel Kimball of Arlington, Miss Dwelley, Miss Tewsbury from the Heights, and the Misses Wiswell. Miss Parsons was the pianist.

Miss William Chickering and baby of Manchester, who have been visiting Mrs. C. T. Parsons, will leave for home.

Miss Maisie Trask went to Sunapee Lake last week Friday to visit Mrs. Choate.

The north side of Massachusetts avenue between Lowell's street and Park avenue is being re-macadamized.

"I notice," complained Mrs. Henpeck, "that you never call me 'dear' any more." "No," replied Henpeck: "I couldn't, consistently." "Indeed? and why not?" "Because 'talk is cheap

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## GAFFNEY-WOOSTER

Miss Louisa May Wooster, daughter of Mrs. Caroline Louisa Wooster of Lexington, and granddaughter of the late William H. Mason, was married Wednesday evening to Charlie's Everett Gaffney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gaffney of Gloucester. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. A. Staples, and took place at the Hancock Congregational church at 8 o'clock. The bride was given away by her uncle, F. V. Wooster of Winchester. Miss Mary Adams Fassett of Nashua, N. H., a cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. The bridesmaids were the Misses Gertrude and Cora Ball of East Lexington. David R. Drake of Danvers was best man. The ushers were F. A. Tibbets of Providence, William Parsons of Boston, Harry Woodman of Gloucester, Benjamin C. Wooster, the bride's brother, A. W. D. Burnham of Nashua, and William Hunt of Lexington. The bride wore a beautiful gown of cream white crepe de chine, made with an embroidered chiffon yoke and chiffon trimmings, with the customary veil. She carried a shower bouquet of white sweet peas. The maid of honor wore white muslin with a pink sash and pink trimmings, and carried a large bouquet of pink sweet peas. The dresses of the bridesmaids were of dotted silk muslin over pink, with bouquets of pink sweet peas.

The Episcopal service with one ring was used. The wedding procession started promptly at 8 o'clock, and marched to the altar to the strains of the Lohengrin march, played by Miss David of Arlington. After the ceremony was ended the organist rendered the Mendelssohn march. The church was very prettily decorated, the work having been carried out under the direction of Mrs. William Hunt by friends of the bride, among them nine of her most intimate girl friends. The chancel was massed with green, banked on both sides with wild asters, and with palms for foreground. A bell of white wild asters and ferns was hung from above. There were large masses of sweet peas in front, and the choir rail was trimmed with ferns and sweet peas. Bunches of the latter were upon the chandeliers. Bouquets of ferns, meadow rue and sweet peas were at each pew.

After the wedding a reception was held at the house for friends and relatives of whom some 150 were present. The newly married couple were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Wooster and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gaffney. The reception lasted from 8.30 till 10. Hardy catered. The grounds were brightly illuminated by Japanese lanterns strung about. Mr. and Mrs. Gaffney left at about 9.45, amidst a shower of confetti, for an extended wedding trip. They will return to Newton in the fall where they will reside. Mr. Gaffney is principal of the Wade school, Newton Upper Falls. The presents made an elegant display, there being cut glass, silver in profusion, vases, pictures, bric-brac, a beautiful rug from nine girl friends of the bride, and a handsome silver service from her uncle, F. V. Wooster.

MRS. EUNICE JANE HARRIS.

Mrs. Eunice Jane Harris, nee Bowles, died at the home of her nephew, Officer W. B. Foster, Friday, July 4. Born in 1809, she was at the time of her death one of the oldest of Lexington townfolk, being 93 years and 17 days old. She had but recently passed her 93rd birthday. She was born in Portsmouth, N. H., April 26, 1835. She was married to Elbridge Harris, who was for 20 years superintendent of the Bangor, Old Town, and Milford railroad. The greater part of her married life was spent in Bangor, Me. Later, moving west, Mr. Harris engaged in business in Minnesota, and at the opening of the civil war died. They had one child, a son, who was drowned at Bangor when but 15 years of age. After her husband's death, Mrs. Harris returned east, coming to Massachusetts to make her home with her nephew, Officer Foster, in whose family she remained a cherished member for 20 years. The funeral services were held at the house Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. L. D. Cochrane. Interment will ultimately be made in Mount Auburn cemetery, the remains having been placed temporarily in the cemetery at the center.

Mrs. Harris was confined to her bed for three months before her death. Up to the time of her accident, which occurred when she was about 84 years of age, she had led a very active, busy life, and was always regular in her attendance at church.

### LEXINGTON LOCALS.

Members of Post 119 and W. R. C. No. 97, went on trolley trip and basket picnic to Lake Quinsigamond, near Worcester, Thursday, leaving Lexington by special car at 7.50 a. m. in the rain. Arriving at Bedford a vote was taken as to continuing in despite of

the weather. All but two or three voted to go on. These returned, and the rest, some 60 in all, went on their way rejoicing, and hoping for clear weather.

The annual lawn party of St. Brigid's parish will be held on the church grounds Saturday, July 26, beginning at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and continuing until 11 o'clock. Refreshments will be served. There will be sports in the afternoon and dancing in the evening from 7 until 11. Admission prices are 25 cents and 15 cents for children.

The Old Belfry club is spending some quiet weeks at present, but its schedule book for next winter is already pretty well filled, and a big season is promised.

The Lexington Orchestral club met at the Kindergarten, Forest street, Wednesday evening.

The fire department had not a single call for the Fourth.

Monday Officer McGuire had John McKenzie in court for drunkenness. McKenzie was fined \$5, which he paid. John Snell was taken to court Wednesday for a similar offense, and being fined \$5 was jailed, as he was unable to pay.

John McGurney and Patrick Mulvey had some trouble the night of the Fourth, on the Hayes place, of which Mulvey has leased some pasture land.

Words passed, and Mulvey accuses McGurney of having assaulted him. The case was tried in court yesterday, the charge being assault and battery.

The Baptist picnic, scheduled to come off some time ago, was postponed until Thursday on account of the rain it was put over until yesterday. A goodly company of picnickers went to Hobbs' camp on the Concord river.

The Fourth of July, 1902, in Lexington was a day remarkable in itself, and probably unique as compared with the rest of the country. There was an abundance of fireworks, crackers, torpedoes and all the other means and instruments for making a racket, and all the small boys and girls, and such of the larger as cared to join in, had a first rate good time, by all accounts, and yet there was not even one complaint of mischief or damage or injury in any way connected with the day's celebration. Chief Franks, speaking of the matter, said that he wished to express his thanks and good will to everybody, boys and girls and all, for the good conduct of every one on that day. It was a condition which probably could not be duplicated in the country. There was a plenty of fireworks and fire crackers, even more than usual, and yet no complaint of any mischief or damage either in the day time or at night.

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After the wedding a reception was held at the house for friends and relatives of whom some 150 were present.

The newly married couple were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Wooster and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gaffney. The reception lasted from 8.30 till 10. Hardy catered. The grounds were brightly illuminated by Japanese lanterns strung about. Mr. and Mrs. Gaffney left at about 9.45, amidst a shower of confetti, for an extended wedding trip. They will return to Newton in the fall where they will reside. Mr. Gaffney is principal of the Wade school, Newton Upper Falls. The presents made an elegant display, there being cut glass, silver in profusion, vases, pictures, bric-brac, a beautiful rug from nine girl friends of the bride, and a handsome silver service from her uncle, F. V. Wooster.

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Massachusetts Avenue, near Pleasant, west, E. L.

Rev. Lorenzo D. Cochrane, residence Locust Avenue, East Lexington. Services—Sunday, 10:45 a.m.; 7 p.m.; Sunday school, 12:00 m. Follett Alliance, fortnightly. Thursdays, at 1 p.m. Follett Club meets 6:30 p.m., Sunday. Lent-a-Hand Club and Little Helpers.

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Rev. Charles F. Carter, pastor, residence Hancock street. Services—Sunday, 10:30 a.m.; 7 p.m.; Sunday school 12 m. Week days, Y. P. S. C. E. Monday evening: prayer Thursday, 7:45 p.m.

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Massachusetts Ave., near Walls Place.

Rev. F. A. Macdonald, pastor. Services—Sunday, preaching, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; Tuesday, 7:45 a.m.; Y. P. S. C. E.; Friday, 7:45 p.m., prayer meeting.

Branch Emerson Hall, East Lexington. Services—Sunday, 3 p.m.; Sunday school, 4 p.m.; Thursday evening, 7:45, prayer meeting.

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Massachusetts Ave., near Elm Ave. Rev. P. J. Kavanagh, pastor, residence next to the church. Services—Alternates Sundays at 9 and 10:30 a.m.; vespers 4 p.m., every Sunday; Weekdays, mass at 8 a.m.

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Meets in A. O. U. W. hall, Hancock street, corner Bedford street, second and fourth Tuesday evenings in each month.

IMPROVED ORDER OF HEPTASOPHS

Lexington Conclave.

Meets at A. O. U. W. hall, second and fourth Wednesday evenings.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

George G. Meade Post 119.

Meets in Grand Army hall third Thursday of each month.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Council No. 94.

Meets in Lexington hall, Hunt block, Massachusetts Avenue, first and third Tuesdays of each month.

LEXINGTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Meets in Corey hall second Tuesday evenings of winter months.

THE LEND-A-HAND OF THE UNITARIAN CHURCH

Meetings second Tuesday in each month at 3 p.m., in the church vestry.

ART CLUB

Meetings held Monday afternoons at members' residences, from November 1st to May 1st.

EAST LEXINGTON FINANCE CLUB

Meets first Monday each month at Stone Building, East Lexington.

LEXINGTON MONDAY CLUB

Meets in winter every week at homes of members. Membership limited to 16.

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Meetings held Monday evenings, at members' residences, from October 15 to May 15.

THE TOURIST CLUB

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## LEXINGTON FIRE ALARM.

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55 cor. Pleasant and Watertown streets.

56 cor. Waitham and Middle streets.

57 cor. Lincoln and School streets.

58 cor. Clark and Forest streets.

59 cor. Mass. avenue and Cedar street.

60 Bedford street—No. Lexington depot.

61 Bedford street—opp. J. M. Reed's.

62 cor. Hancock and Adams streets.

63 cor. Ash and Reed streets.

64 cor. Woburn and Elm streets.

65 Lowell street near Arlington line.

66 Warren st. opp. Mrs. W. H. Monroe's.

67 cor. Mass. avenue and Woburn street.

68 cor. Bloomfield and Eustice streets.

69 cor. Avenue and Percy road.

70 Mass. avenue opp. Village hall.

71 Mass. avenue and Pleasant street.

72 Mass. avenue opp. E. Lexington depot.

73 Mass. avenue and Sylvia streets.

74 cor. Bedford street near Elm street.

75 cor. Engine House.

76 cor. Grant and Oakland streets.

77 Hancock street near Hancock avenue.

78 cor. Mass. and Elm arches.

79 Mass. avenue near town hall.

PRIVATE BOXES

221 Morrill estate, Lowell street.

561 Carhouse, Bedford st. No. Lexington.

DEPARTMENT SIGNALS

Second alarm, repetition of first; general alarm, eleven blows; all out, two blows; brush fire, three blows; followed by box number.

SPECIAL SIGNALS

Test signal, one blow at 12 m.; no school signal, three blows repeated three times; police call, five blows three times; special signal, 22 five times from electric light station.

LOCATION OF WHISTLES, ETC.

Whistle at electric light station, bell on Follett church, East Lexington, tapper at residence of chief engineer, tapper at residence of first assistant engineer, tapper at residence of second assistant engineer, tapper at pumping station, tapper at residence of Wm. B. Foster, police, tapper at residence of C. H. Franks, police, tapper at centre engine house, tapper at East Lexington engine house, tapper at residence of James E. Shewey.

INSTRUCTIONS

Before giving an alarm be sure a fire exists.

Give the alarm at the nearest box.

Pull the hook way down, only once, and let go.

Never give an alarm for a fire seen at a distance.

Wait at the box, if possible, and direct the firemen to the fire.

Never give a second alarm for the same fire; all second alarms are given by the engineers or other persons in authority.

Never give an alarm for a brush fire unless buildings are in danger; but inform the engineers and they will take action to extinguish it.

Citizens are requested to inform themselves as to the location of keys. Signs over the boxes will give the necessary information.

CAUTION TO PERSONS HAVING KEYS

Never open boxes except to give an alarm.

You cannot remove the key, and it will then be returned to you.

Never leave the key out of your possession except to some responsible party, for the purpose of giving an alarm, and then see that it is returned.

If you remove from your place of residence or business, return the key to the engineer.

## ANIMALS' SUMMER GARB

## WHEN FURRED AND FEATHERED CREATURES CHANGE ATTIRE.

Some Dress in Accordance With Their Age—Costume Depends on Climate—Thick Wraps of Winter Give Way to Something Cooler.

It seems almost a pity that it did not occur to Herr Teufelsdrock, when he enriched the empire of thought by his famous "Philosophy of Clothes," to add a few remarks on the summer garb of animals; for in the reasons which lead so many furred and feathered creatures to change their attire once at least in every year the learned professor might have found ample material for deep musing.

Many of these animals, of course, merely moult, throwing off the old coat for no other purpose than to put on a new one. In some cases they do it by degrees, as every one knows who has enjoyed a ride in a dog cart behind a white pony. In others the change is more rapid. Witness the annual peeling of sheep which are never shorn. But no matter how long the toilet may last in such cases, the fashion never varies.

Other creatures dress in accordance with their age. They seem to hold strongly that costumes suited to juveniles are out of place in the case of adults. So lion cubs are brindled like tabby cats, and cygnets are clothed in smoky-gray instead of in white. Certain sea birds are even more particular, for their young are called upon to wear four successive changes of raiment, equally different from one another and from the plumage which denotes maturity. This last plan must be a great convenience to parents who find it difficult to remember the ages of their offspring. They have only to glance at the feathers of the little ones in order to know.

Far more frequently, however, the summer change of costume depends upon climate. The thick wraps of winter have to give way to something cooler and lighter; so the ermine, towards the middle of spring, is metamorphosed into a stoat, and remains a stoat until the latter part of autumn.

It is hard to realize that the costly fur which marks the judicial dignity, which peers of high degree are proud to wear has been stripped from an animal included by every gamekeeper in his list of "vermin." Yet such is in truth the case. In northern countries, where the temperature for months together is a minus quantity, they become yellow in autumn and perfectly white a few weeks later, the muzzle and tip of the tail alone excepted, while in spring and early summer they pass again through yellow back into reddish brown.

Arctic foxes follow their example—partly, perhaps, for the sake of warmth, dark clothes being better conductors of heat than light ones of the same thickness and quality. In winter they are as white as the driven snow itself, but in summer, they become gray, or brown, or smoky blue, according to their individual idiosyncrasies.

This mass meeting of the Clarks and the Clarkes was generally regarded as being a carefully-prepared joke on the part of the Sheriff of Middlesex. The whole panel hailed from the neighborhood of Hackney. The only two remaining jurymen on the panel not named Clark or Clarke were both named Coster.

In Mr. Justice Grantham's court the other day eleven Browns and one Browning occupied the jury box. Have the Smiths ever made up a whole jury?—London Mail.

In excavating on the site of the World's Fair in St. Louis, workmen have discovered an old boat, which must have been buried there many years. It is built of zinc and copper from stem to stern, with only here and there a fragment of wood. It has a length of some twenty feet, a depth of perhaps five feet, and a width of six feet. That it could ever have been used on the River des Peres, excepting in seasons of high water, is thought impossible. It has the appearance of having been made for use on the sea, and is so large and heavy that it cannot be readily associated with the neighborhood in which it now lies. It has been entirely buried, with the exception of a few inches of the bow, which rose higher than any other point. Its grave was on a high bank close to a bend in the River des Peres. Workmen finding the bow projecting from the ground, had their curiosity aroused, and called the attention of Chief of Construction Isaac S. Taylor to their discovery. He investigated and had a detail put to work unearthing the craft. No one can offer any suggestion as to the history of the craft. The ground about it was packed, and had no indication of having been disturbed for many years. The name of the craft, which had evidently been stamped in the metal side, has been cut out. The bottom, near the bow, has been stove in by some cause, and was evidently the last chapter in the history of the boat.

Among the birds the most notable change of plumage for climatic reasons is that of the ptarmigan. No one looking for the first time upon a ptarmigan in its summer costume, side by side with another in its winter dress, would dream that the two birds were identical. One is ashy gray, mottled and marbled with chestnut and black, the other is perfectly white. The reason is that ptarmigans in summer have to crouch among rocks which are covered with mosses and lichens, while in winter they sit upon snow, and nature dresses them to suit their surroundings. The resemblance in each case is exact. You might stare straight at a ptarmigan in summer from a dozen yards away and be utterly unable to distinguish it from the rocks, while in winter you would be equally unable to discern it upon the snow. And at the same time the bird has the satisfaction of being clothed in accordance with the thermometer.

The black headed gull, too, is black headed only in summer. All through the rest of the year its head and neck are as white as the rest of its body. The change takes place just about the time the birds desert the seashore for the great inland marshes in which they breed; and the odd thing is that no sort of moult is involved. The feathers slowly darken until they become almost black, and black they remain till the summer is over; then the dark hue gradually fades and in about a fortnight's time the birds are entirely white once more.

But a far more common reason for the summer change of clothing is the desire to look well in the eyes of the opposite sex. This desire is practically restricted to the males, who monopolize all beauty and color of form, and whose great idea of winning the affections of their soberly tinted mates is to strut in brave array before them. The palm in this respect is borne away by the ruff. During the autumn, the winter and the first two or three weeks

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## CREATURES OF CIRCUMSTANCES.

That we all are largely creatures of circumstances is a very generally conceded fact, and a fact nowhere more clearly illustrated than here among the mountains. In a mountainous region everything moves slowly—no one is in a hurry. There is no morning train to catch. No one's pay is cut down if he happens to be five minutes late at his work. "Hurry up, there" is never heard in this north country. An enjoyable leisure is here manifested on every side. Men and women in Whiteface, and throughout all this section of country shape and mould their lives in harmony with these grand upheavals of nature, and so necessarily they take their time for it. They well understand that the world was not made in a day, so they are bound not to make any undue haste with whatever work they may have in hand. And to us this all means solid comfort. What a different life is this from the life in the suburbs of a great city! Just for a moment suppose that Arlington could take a day off whenever she chose so to do, and go fishing? But no, we must keep our noses continuously to the grindstone, or otherwise our rations will fall short; but here one does not depend upon the markets for his breakfast, for he has enough to eat and to spare constantly in store. Men and women here may more or less frequently be out of the latest style of hats, and out of dress suits, but all the while they have enough to eat. "Why," we said to a farmer yesterday, who was hoeing his little patch of potatoes along the riverside, "you ought to be the happiest people in the world," when he replied, "I reckon we do take more comfort than you do in Boston," and he was unquestionably right. The life of the metropolis and its suburbs is a good deal apart from nature. That life is of the hot-house kind. Everything there is at high pressure. To meet these farmers in their shirt-sleeves, and have a chat with them acts on one's tired spirits like an opiate. So restful is their whole manner of conversation. The truth is they have been born of these mountains, and by them have they been educated. This life-giving atmosphere has given them stomachs that can digest a good square meal, and hearts that maintain a regular beat. You hear of no smallpox scare in this region, so that vaccination never comes under discussion. We easily catch the calm and restful inspiration of this retreat of the gods, and forever contented and happy would we be, could we live on indefinitely with our present environments. Here one eats well and sleeps well, while he has no anxious thought for the morrow. What more do you want? As a matter of fact, what more can you have?

## THE EDITOR'S RUSTIC CHAIR.

The editor's rustic chair here at Kinderheim reminds one of the seat that Hawthorne so loved high up among the branches of that graceful elm near his Concord home; only ours is not high up in a noble elm, but has for its background four silver birches grown from one root, and enclosing a space of four square feet. Within this space is built a seat so near the ground that the editor when sitting has his feet comfortably resting upon solid earth, for it is known that the editor of The Enterprise, though short in stature, has legs long enough, as Abraham Lincoln facetiously put it, to reach to the floor. Now seated in this chair, in one of the most picturesque groves that can be imagined, with a trout brook running alongside in the valley below, with no house in sight, and where no sound is heard, save that of the murmuring brook, and an occasional note of the wood thrush and where nothing is seen save the silvery waters and the grove itself with inviting glimpses of the skies overhead and the mountains roundabout we sensibly feel the inspiration of our unique surroundings. Here we have all nature at our command and she comes at our bidding. In this house "not made with hands," one should speak "with the tongue of men and angels," and at the same time be in full possession of that charity "which hopeth all things and which endureth all things." At any rate the readers of The Enterprise need not be unduly surprised if we soon break forth into song from the editor's chair in the birchen grove alongside the brook at Kinderheim.

## LEXINGTON LOCALS.

Paul Franks, Ernest Fessenden, Wallace Miller, Harold Chatfield, Morton Nourse and Richard Streeter went to Hobbs' camp on the Concord river Monday with Rev. F. A. Macdonald. Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Franks, Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Fessenden, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Chatfield and Mrs. Packard paid them a visit, and took supper with

them. The boys are having a jolly time and the mothers report unusually enormous appetites.

The Misses Margaret and Agnes Tupper sailed this week for Halifax. They will spend the summer months with their parents in Nova Scotia.

Chief Franks and Bradford Smith of the board of health made an inspection Tuesday of the sanitary conditions on Muzzey street, as a result of complaints of a bad odor existing at times.

The decision reached was that it is due entirely to fertilizer used on the meadows, and noticed occasionally when the direction of the wind is right.

Chief Franks also inspected the sanitary condition of the Hancock school Thursday afternoon.

The selectmen recently ordered the removal of one of the elm trees at the corner of Waltham street and the avenue. The taking down has been in process this week by the street commissioners. Some bother was experienced from the live wires. The tree was partly taken down Wednesday, but the work was interrupted by the rain Thursday morning.

Catch basins are being put in at this corner to take care of the overflow surface water.

A cellar for coal storage has been excavated under Munroe's station.

Miss Edith Cox will go Monday to Oak ledge, East Harpswell, Me., for a two weeks' vacation.

The stores all closed the Fourth.

The bogey match, which was played on the Lexington links last week Friday morning, resulted as follows: P. C. Lockwood..... even C. F. Carter..... 1 down C. P. Munn..... 2 down C. B. Davis..... 4 down T. Briggs..... 4 down E. C. Briggs..... 4 down W. W. Reed..... 5 down C. R. Corwin..... 5 down C. Garrison..... 6 down F. F. Sherburne..... 6 down C. H. Stevens..... 7 down H. H. Putnam..... 9 down F. A. Laws..... 11 down G. L. Gilmore..... 13 down G. W. Freund..... no card W. Lincoln..... no card

The afternoon mixed foursomes resulted in a tie between Miss E. Lockwood and Mr. P. C. Lockwood and Miss C. Sias and Mr. C. F. Carter with a net score of 86. This tie was played off Saturday afternoon. The afternoon's card follows:

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Miss E. Lockwood and Mr. P. C. Lockwood.....	96	10	86
Miss C. Sias and Mr. C. F. Carter.....	101	15	86
Miss Cooks and Mr. T. Broggs.....	107	19	88
Mrs. C. B. Davis and Mr. C. B. Davis.....	128	35	93
Miss E. Briggs and C. H. Stevens.....	114	19	95
Mrs. E. Read and Mr. W. W. Reed.....	105	9	96
Miss E. Tyler and Mr. F. A. Laws.....	127	30	97
Miss Cowperthwaite and Mr. H. C. Houghton.....	119	20	99
Mrs. F. F. Sherburne and Mr. F. F. Sherburne.....	135	34	101
Miss F. Fay and Mr. E. C. Briggs.....	130	28	102
Miss C. Fay and Mr. Piermont.....	133	27	106
Miss Lockwood and Mr. C. P. Munn.....	125	17	103
Miss C. Briggs and Mr. C. T. Briggs.....	139	30	109
Mrs. G. L. Gilmore.....	147	34	113

## ARLINGTON HEIGHTS.

A length of the new fence lately put up by the Boston & Maine on the opposite side of the tracks from the Heights station was cut out last Saturday night, and Sunday night one of the signs forbidding the crossing of the tracks was taken away. Small children have been wont to run across at this place and the efforts of the railroad to put a stop to the dangerous habit are commendable.

The home of John M. Perkins was the center of attraction at the Heights the evening of the Fourth. A quite large company assembled there to enjoy the fireworks set off by courtesy of Mr. Blake. Several balloons went up in good style and Mrs. Perkins' ice cream and cake went down with equal gusto.

Miss Nellie Swain of Brockton spent Sunday with Mrs. J. D. Wanamaker of Forest street.

The executive committee of the Baptist church held a business meeting Tuesday night at Miss Cora E. Thompson's.

Roy Beddoes, employed by Rhodes Brothers of Boston, is having a vacation.

Rev. Nelson Jones of Roslindale preached at the Baptist church last Sunday.

Miss Mabel Dow left Thursday for a two weeks' visit with friends in Brighton.

Dr. Sanford and daughter have gone to Chelmsford for a brief visit.

Mrs. Joseph Dow of Claremont avenue paid a visit this week to Mrs. Carrie Warren at her Woburn home.

The Crescent Hill club had a good display of fireworks the evening of the Fourth. Some of the club members had a parade in the early morning of the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Snow, who have been stopping at Mrs. Perkins', went to Hull Wednesday afternoon.

The Sunshine club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. T. Parsons of Claremont avenue.

## EAST LEXINGTON.

Fourth of July this year was a remarkably quiet day by all accounts. No fire occurred and no sky-larking went on the "night before."

George Reynolds had an excellent display of fireworks the night of the Fourth.

Officer Foster has been taking a vacation the past week.

Mrs. H. M. Torrey has been entertaining Mrs. Flett of Boston several days this week.

The rails for the double track are going down rapidly. Between 30 and 40 car loads of paving stones, some twenty to thirty tons to the load have been received at the East Lexington station, for the work.

C. H. Hoffman, whose residence was recently given as North Cambridge, comes from West Somerville, instead. The fact of his taking the train at North Cambridge Junction led to the misapprehension. Mr. Hoffman has transformed the old pumping station into a remarkably convenient and cool and comfortable work shop. The eastern end of the building has been fitted up as machine shop, with the usual shafting and machinery and benches. Power is taken from a gasoline engine, which is enclosed in a little room by itself. There is some special machinery still to come. The west end of the building is to be utilized entirely for experimental work, and is not open for inspection.

Actual work is already in process on original and experimental lines, and Mr. Hoffman, while modest and unassuming in the highest degree in regard to his work, has nevertheless the air of one who knows exactly what he is about. He is specially interested in automobile engines and expects sooner or later to manufacture them, as well as stationary engines besides. The developments of the next few months will be awaited with much interest.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hadley and family have gone to Nantasket for a few weeks. Miss Nellie Sim is there also.

Miss Edna Norton of Boston is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Richards.

Mrs. M. A. Page's school class went on a picnic Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. William Sim and class were invited and all had a good time.

Mrs. Page has gone to Nantasket for a few days.

C. D. Easton preached for the Baptist society last Sunday. He will preach tomorrow, also, in Village hall.

## BELMONT LOCALS.

William McCabe is pitching for the Norwood baseball team this year.

Frank Brown spent the Fourth at his cottage on Squam Lake, N. H.

H. A. Hoyt and family are occupying the George Cheney house recently purchased.

Patrick Shean was quite badly injured in a runaway accident Tuesday, the horse becoming frightened by an electric car. Three ribs were broken, but the visiting physician reports his patient as doing well.

J. P. Rogers' family are summering at Orleans, Mass.

Robert Marcy spent the Fourth at Belmont.

J. H. Fletcher's family are at Cold Spring, Westford, Mass.

T. S. Brown is in New Hampshire for a few days.

Robert Hernandez, Harry Ross, Harry Slade, and Alex Lange leave today with Company K, M. V. M., of Cambridge for camp.

George Davis is on a vacation.

Miss Rachel Johnson entertained a number of friends at her home on School street Tuesday evening at a ping-pong tournament. Wednesday she left for a week at Winthrop.

Captain Bowden, Quince street, of the J. Putnam Bradie, is in charge of the boats for the Randidge excursion of the Fresh Air society this year.

A colored man named Folger has been arrested for the robbery at the house of Barnabas Benney of Sycamore street, two weeks ago. At the district court, owing to a number of conflicting stories by the defendant, he was held over to the October term of the superior court under \$1600 bonds. The police expect to prove a number of similar cases at Cambridge and surrounding towns against the man.

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Miss Mary A. Freeman left this week for a few weeks' stay at Meriden, N. H.

Ned Parkhurst is at Damariscotta, Me. Reports assure us that "Doc" is having his usual luck at bass fishing.

J. G. Pine has purchased Marion Wilkes, a fast black pacer.

Miss Alice Barrett is at home for the summer from her duties at the Lowell normal school.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Armstrong are at South China, Me., for the summer.

Charles Jenney and family are summering at South China, Me.

The annual handicap tournament of the Belmont Tennis club was held at the courts on Thomas street July 4. The work of the handicap committee was good so that the players were well matched and the contest close.

First round—H. L. Sherman beat Rowan, by default; H. W. Horne beat Gilman, 5-7, 7-5, 8-6; Underwood beat C. G. Horne, 6-8, 6-3, 6-3; Diaz beat E. C. Sherman, 6-2, 8-6, 6-0; Harris beat Davis, 6-4, 6-8; Brown beat Atkins, by default; Dennett beat Lincoln, 5-7, 6-0, 6-3; Marcy beat Bygrave, 4-6, 6-4, 11-9.

Second round—H. L. Sherman beat H. W. Horne, 6-3, 6-1; Underwood beat Diaz, 6-4, 7-9, 6-3; Brown beat Harris, 6-4, 6-4; Dennett beat Marcy, 8-6, 3-6, 6-4.

Semi-finals—H. L. Sherman beat Underwood, 2-6, 7-5, 6-3; Brown beat Dennett, 6-3, 3-6.

Finals—Brown beat H. L. Sherman, 1-6, 6-1, 6-4.

The Belmont Tennis club are holding a "round Robbin" tournament during July and August. These plays determine the individual skill of the members. Thus far Gilman beat E. C. Sherman, 6-1, 6-3, 6-4; Bygrave beat Lincoln, 6-3, 6-2, 6-4; H. C. Sherman beat E. C. Sherman, 6-0, 6-0, 6-0; Marcy beat Underwood, 6-2, 10-8, 6-3; G. C. Horne beat Gilman, 6-3, 5-7, 6-0; H. L. Sherman beat G. C. Horne, 8-6, 6-4; H. W. Horne beat Gilman, 6-3, 0-1, 0-2.

## RESOLUTIONS.

Division No. 47, In Memory of John J. O'Brien.

At a meeting of Division No. 47, A. O. H., held at Knights of Columbus hall, Belmont, Monday evening, July 7, 1902, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to take from our midst our beloved and esteemed brother, John Joseph O'Brien, and though sincerely mourning his loss, we bow with humble submission to his Divine will, be it resolved, That by his death we realize that, by his death we realize Division 47, A. O. H., extend to his wife and family our sympathy in their affliction;

Resolved, That by his death we realize we have lost a true, faithful officer, and lovable friend, who at all times was ready to render his services

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